

# CASTORIA

for Infants and Children.

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil. Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. It destroys Worms and relieves Feverishness. It cures Diarrhea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teeth-aching Troubles and cures Constipation. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. See Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the Signature of

*Chas. H. Fletcher.*

## STOMACH CATARRH.

### EUEPEPSIA TABLETS

Will Positively Cure, or much of the Stomach Even in its Worst Stages.

There is probably no disorder in the body which abounds more than that of Catarrh of the Stomach. This disease is often caused by fast eating, resulting in imperfect mastication of the food; over-loading the stomach with too large a quantity of food; the taking of cold drinks, ice cold or strong alcoholic drinks; the abuse of tobacco, especially chewing, etc. These tend to irritate the stomach, and cause a catarrhal condition of the mucous membrane.

Even people of regular habits may develop gastric catarrh. An early symptom of the condition is tooth-ache, the teeth are liable to pain, especially at night, and the mouth is cheared thoroughly and becomes sour. As a rule the disease develops slowly, the appetite becomes variable, a sensation of fullness and nausea follows, the heartburn and sense of breath is experienced, also a burning sensation at the pit of the stomach, bad taste in the mouth and vomiting of mucus after morning meals. The patient feels better in a cold, dry air, feeling in the limbs, with little inclination for work, and the mental faculties are sluggish or dim.

It is easy to overcome these disturbances, for there is a remedy prescribed regularly by physicians that any one can take at their own home without consultation and under guarantee to cure.

**Euepepsia**

Will absolutely cure all stomach troubles arising from imperfect digestion. We don't know what you can't buy, but we do know how little money you can buy. After taking one bottle of Euepepsia Tablets I was immediately cured. When I commenced taking Euepepsia I weighed 167 pounds, and now weigh 170 pounds and consider my health is equal to Euepepsia Tablets. I thoroughly recommend Euepepsia Tablets. In GOLD, Seventh and Wolf Streets, New York.

Free sample treatment or money back or direct or 40 cents. A treatise on Stomach Troubles and three days treatment mailed free.

**EUEPEPSIA CHEMICAL CO., 409 West St., St. Louis, Mo.**

## SCHEDULE AT POST OFFICE.

Only One Delivery Will Be Made  
Christmas and New Year's.

The Post-Office schedule, as arranged by Postmaster, Wyman for Christmas and New Year's, includes one delivery and the same number of collections that are made on Sunday.

The delivery will be made after the first dispatches, until to the time of closing.

The main Post Office and all branch stations will be open on Sunday from 10 a.m. to 12 noon, instead of from 10 to 11:30 a.m.

On Sunday morning there will be two dispatches of mail, instead of one, at all branch stations, the first dispatch being the same as regular working schedule and the second at 9 a.m.

On Monday and Tuesday, January 2, all dispatches of mail except will be made at noon, excepting the general delivery bureau of information and stamp section which will be closed at 6 p.m.

**Stationery for Xmas Gifts.**

Paper and envelopes in fancy cases,  
Engraved Calling Cards, Notelets, etc.

**100 CALLING CARDS**, \$1.50 and up  
**BOX WRITING PAPER**, .75¢ to \$5.00  
**CHRISTMAS CARDS**, .50 to \$10.00  
**\*200\* CALENDARS**, .50 to \$10.00  
**MIRRORS & JACCARDS**,  
Broadway and Locust.  
Write for New Illustrated Catalogue.

## SCHOOL MUST PAY DAMAGES.

Hattie Graves Gets Judgment Against Dermatology Institution.

Hattie Graves obtained judgment in Justice O'Halloran's Court yesterday against the St. Louis School of Dermatology for \$100 on an action for damages.

She alleged that she was induced by representations made in advertisements, personal correspondence and verbally to leave the school and go to New York to come to St. Louis for the purpose of taking a course in the school, and that she paid to the officers \$100 to defray the expense of a course.

She alleged that the school did not have regular classes, and that it was in charge of incompetent and inexperienced persons.

**Hahnemann Quiz Society Entertains.**

The Hahnemann Quiz Society of the Hahnemann Medical College gave an entertainment Tuesday night in Phoenix Hall, Jefferson and Cass avenues. The opening act was delivered by the president, Miss Margarette. Other attractions of the programme were a piano duet by the Misses Hess and Wessell, concert solo by Arthur Armstrong, literature by Doctor A. Schott and selections by the H. M. C. Double Quartet. The entertainment closed with dancing.

## HE MEANS SCOTT'S

Your doctor says you must take cod liver oil. Probably he means Scott's Emulsion because you cannot take the clear oil; no one can take the clear oil who needs cod liver oil. The doctor understands that and doubtless means Scott's Emulsion of cod liver oil which everybody can take because it is emulsified and prepared so that it can be very easily digested by the most sensitive stomach. Most everybody likes it.

We send you a sample free.

**SCOTT & BOWNE**, 49 Pearl Street, New York.

## NEWSBOYS TO HAVE CHRISTMAS FEAST

Volunteers of America Will Distribute Free Baskets Diners Among the Poor.

## BUSINESS MEN CONTRIBUTE.

Headquarters at Second and Market Streets Nearly Filled With Hampers—Donations Still Coming In.

Saturday will be a day of rejoicing for the newsboys of St. Louis, many hundreds of whom will be provided with beautiful Christmas dinners by the Volunteers of America. Provisions for the Volksfeast also will be distributed among the families of the city's poor.

The baskets containing the dinner will be given to the holders of tickets which have been sent to them by Adjutant L. B. Smith from the seller-headquarters of the Volunteers at Second and Market streets.

The newsboys have worked with enthusiasm in collecting contributions to swell the dinner fund. During the recent end-spurt they relieved the Volunteer ladies, whose duty it was to "keep the pants boiling" at the downtown corners.

With the kindly command to "hump up a warm place or you'll sure be frozen the little hustlers would seize their sticks and bear a vigorous tattoo on the metal pots which have become so familiar at this season.

For several years it has been the custom of the Volunteers of America to present free Christmas dinners to the deserving poor in the large cities.

Among the poor of a city there are many families who, on account of sickness, can be reached only through the medium of a kind citizen.

Last year these families were supplied with basket dinners by the Volunteers and as their facilities this year have been increased, we expect to double last year's record.

For many days gifts of money and provisions have arrived at the Volunteer headquarters and ready the distribution baskets filled with the pile of beautifully laden hampers.

Adjutant L. B. Smith has worked on the Christmas donation for two months, and many business men and manufacturers have contributed to the fund.

Each holder of a ticket will receive one basket containing five pounds of meat, two loaves of bread, half a peck of potatoes, two cans of corn, nuts, candies and crackers.

An entertainment will be given Christmas eve at 8 p.m. A programme of music and recitation, a gift of a picture and a poem and a selection of a gift from Christmas tree will be presented to each child.

**Diamonds for Xmas Gifts.**

Fine brilliant cut diamonds in hand-made mountings of newest style.

**RINGS**, \$5.00 to \$100.00

**BUCKLES**, \$2.00 to \$10,000.00

**CUFF BUTTONS**, \$12.00 to \$100.00

**SCARF PINS**, \$5.00 to \$10,000.00

**NECKLACES**, \$50.00 to \$100,000.00

**AT MERRIMOD & JACQUARD'S**,  
Broadway and Locust.  
Write for New Illustrated Catalogue.

## ELECTRIC ROAD EXTENDED.

Seven Miles of New Railway to Be Opened in Indian Territory.

**REPUBLIC SPECIAL.**

South McAlester, Dec. 21.—The Indian Territory Traction Company will open seven miles of new electric road tomorrow and passenger and freight traffic will be begun.

At present the company is operating electric cars between South McAlester, McAlester, Brushy, Krebs and Alderson, a distance of 12 miles. The extension to open will connect with two mining towns, Brushy and Dew.

By January 15 the line now being constructed will be open to Hartshorne and Hartselle will be opened soon after. The line will be reached by the twenty miles of road. This is the only electric railway in Indian Territory.

**HIBERNIANS AGAINST TREATY.**

Order Not Favorable to Understanding With England.

Boston, Dec. 21.—The Ancient Order of Hibernians of Massachusetts, numbering 30,000 members, went on record today as opposing a treaty of arbitration between the United States and Great Britain.

A letter of protest indicating reasons was sent from the state headquarters to the presidents of each division of the order.

The resolutions declare that "the ratification of the treaty, coupled with the withdrawal of John Day, Secretary of State, to take concurrent action with the English Government in all the important questions may precipitate war with one or more of the great Powers of the world."

Confirming the resolutions say: "Such a treaty of arbitration, thus obtained, will not be binding upon either party, for a alliance would have and continue with England under these conditions would inevitably lead to war, without the consent of Congress."

**GLENNON PREACHES SERMON.**

St. Louis Prelate Takes Part in Bishop's Consecration.

Dubuque, Dec. 21.—At the Roman Catholic Cathedral here the Reverend John P. Carroll, former pastor of St. Joseph's College on this site, was consecrated Bishop of the Diocese of Davenport. Keanes of Dubuque officiated as co-consecrator. Archbishop Glennon of St. Louis preached the sermon. Twenty priests and 200 priests were present.

**Lexington News Is Sold.**

**REPUBLIC SPECIAL.**

Lexington, Dec. 21.—Bart C. Drumm, formerly editor of the Oregon Leader, today purchased the Lexington Leader.

He takes charge to-morrow. The news was founded in 1859 by Frank Bowmen and is said to have been the original "Folk for Governor" paper.

## HOSPITAL FUND

MAY BE \$30,000

Executive Committee of Saturday and Sunday Association Makes Report on Collections.

## NAMES OF THE CONTRIBUTORS.

Intention Is to Have Checks Reach the Chautauq Association on Christmas Morning.

# CHRISTMAS DIAMONDS ON CREDIT



## YOU CAN BUY ANY OF

the beautiful DIAMOND pieces shown

here by making a small payment on delivery and then

paying a small amount each month. With \$5 or \$10 per

a first payment you can give the loved one a Christmas

gift worthy of a Prince. Why give something cheap

and trifling when the same money (\$5 or \$10) will put

you in immediate possession of a beautiful Diamond

which will sparkle on her finger forever, and whose

every gleam will remind her of you and the gen-

cosity and good judgment that prompted the

beautiful gift? Why should you cramp yourself for

Christmas funds when the **LOFTIS SYSTEM** is

at your command with every courtesy known to

modern merchandizing?

## Your Credit Is Good

THERE IS no question about your credit if you

are disposed to act in good faith. The terms

of the Loftis System are so easy, fair and equitable

that no honest man need hesitate to open a Con-

fidential Charge Account for anything he needs

for Christmas use. Make your selection and tell

the salesman that you would like to open an ac-

count and pay monthly. He will arrange the mat-

ter for you in ten minutes.

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Yours is a welcome account.

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